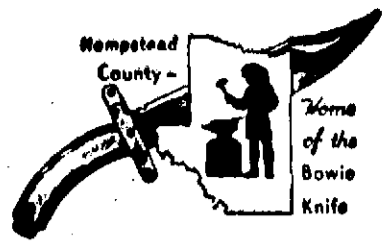


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30 Additional Hostages Killed by Red Rebels

By ROBIN MANNOCK
LEOPOLDVILLE, the Congo (AP) — Thirty more white hostages, all missionaries and their families, are believed to have been killed by rebels in the northeastern Congo, refugees arriving here said Sunday.

The missing include an American, Mary Baker of Richmond, Va. She was last reported at Banalia, 82 miles north of Stanleyville, on Nov. 20.

Fifteen other missionaries were missing from Banalia and 14 more from Bafwasende, 150 miles northeast of Stanleyville.

Fourteen refugees freed at Bafwasende by white mercenary troops said they were not sure the other hostages in the town had been killed.

"We heard one volley of rifle fire," said Dolena Burk of Calgary, Alta., "but later the rebels (rebel soldiers) promised us they had not been killed."

Mrs. Burk's husband is among the missing.

Other refugees said the mercenaries told them they found traces of a recent massacre at Banalia. Children's clothes, the habits of a nun and a priest and splashes of blood were discovered on the slope leading up to Banalia's ferryboat, the soldiers told them.

Besides Mrs. Burk, the survivors included 11 Italian Roman Catholic nuns and two British women missionaries. They were rescued Saturday.

Mrs. Burk said the simbas became furious after central government planes raided Bafwasende. All the white hostages, who had been crammed for three days in a single room, were taken out to be shot, she said.

"They separated us and the nuns from the others," she said. Eight Dutch Catholic priests, her husband, a British family and an Australian and a British woman were in the other group.

WASHINGTON (AP)—American farmers must pay between \$1.15 and \$1.40 an hour beginning next April 1 to any foreign worker imported for crop-picking jobs in 28 states, the Labor Department says.

The department set the minimum rate that must be paid in Arkansas at \$1.15 an hour.

Secretary of Labor W. Willard Wirtz, in announcing the new wage rates and working conditions added, however, that he does not anticipate any large use of foreign workers as a result.

"To the contrary," he said late Saturday, "it is expected that such use will be very greatly reduced and hopefully eliminated."

In most cases the new rates will be higher than those now paid foreign farm workers. The rates will vary from state to state and must be offered to domestic workers before a grower will be permitted to bring in foreign labor.

The action is designed to help growers fill the gap to be left by expiration this month of the program under which about 200,000 Mexican Nationals have been brought into the country each year for farm work.

Another program permits importation of workers if there is a labor shortage and the Labor Department states there would be no adverse effect on U. S. wages. Wirtz acted under this program.

In announcing the new rates Wirtz ruled out any extension of the Mexican farm labor program by his department. Congress approved that program only through Dec. 31 but many growers have proposed administrative action by Wirtz to keep it operating.

Weather

Experiment Station report for 24 hours ending at 7 a.m. Monday, High 54, Low 28.

Arkansas Regional Forecast by THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Central Arkansas — Cloudy to partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday. Not much change in temperature. (Continued on Page Two)

Brother of Hope Woman Succumbs

John Arthur Edward Buchanan died December 15, at Lake City, Fla. Survivors include three sisters, Mrs. Winnie Deubler of Little Rock; Mrs. Viva Sellers of Texarkana and Mrs. Maybelle McElmore of Hope, and a brother, Hubert Buchanan of Dallas and his stepmother, Mrs. Edna Hicks of Texarkana. Services were to be held at 1 p. m. Monday at National Cemetery at Little Rock.

Post Office Schedule for December 26

The Post Office Department in Washington, D. C. has made the following announcement: Based on past experience when Christmas fell on Friday, postal requirements for the next day, Saturday, December 26th, were minimized to the extent they could be met by providing reduced service on that day. Therefore, a decision has been reached to maintain certain services and reduce others on December 26, 1964.

Rural deliveries will be made as usual but no city deliveries or window services will be rendered.

All mail for Post Office boxes will be worked as usual and all outgoing mail will be dispatched.

Christmas and perishable parcels will be delivered on Saturday, December 26th.

Mexican Rail Accident Is Fatal to 41

VILLAHERMOSA, Mexico (AP) — A speeding freight train rammed into the back of a halted passenger train in dense fog near here Sunday, killing 41 persons and injuring 75. Three of the injured were American tourists.

Nils Werner of Alhambra, Calif., was reported in critical condition. His right arm had been amputated, and he was in danger of losing a leg.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Benson of Fresno, Calif., were reported doing well. They suffered leg fractures and other injuries.

The accident occurred at the mountain village of Tacotalpa, 45 miles south of this capital of Tabasco State in southeastern Mexico. The area is about 400 miles southeast of Mexico City.

The Americans were on their way back to Mexico City after visiting the archeological area of Palenque, in nearby Chiapas. Authorities blamed the wreck on the fog and lack of attention on the part of the engineer of the freight train. A member of the freight train crew said the engineer apparently had been dozing and did not see the stopped train until too late.

The engineer, identified as Miguel Sanchez Cruz, fled from the scene.

The passenger train had left Tenosique, in Tabasco, and was on its way to Coatzacoalcas in Veracruz State. It had halted for a 10-minute routine stop when the freight train hit it.

Miller Told Burch Should Keep Post

WASHINGTON (AP) — Rep. William E. Miller, said after a conference with Sen. Barry Goldwater today that GOP Chairman Dean Burch should hang onto his job even if he has only a one vote majority of the 132-member national committee.

Miller, the GOP vice presidential nominee, told a news conference after he and Rep. Bob Wilson of California had conferred with Goldwater at his apartment that the presidential nominee is standing firmly behind Burch.

Burch's replacement as national chairman has been demanded by party progressives on the ground he represents a symbol of the disastrous Republican defeat in the Nov. 3 election.

Former Vice President Richard M. Nixon, Gov. George Romney of Michigan, and others have said Burch should resign unless he can turn up a substantial majority in favor of his retention at a Jan. 22-23 show-down meeting of the national committee in Chicago.

The ruling gaffirmed Jefferson County Chancery Court.

Contract for Ads Upheld by Court

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The Arkansas Supreme Court upheld the city of Pine Bluff today in its contract with H.L. Jones to provide benches with advertising along streets.

25 Deaths in U.S. Caused by Cold Wave

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Fresh snow, rain and plummeting temperatures stung the Northeast and Northwest today as winter made its official debut.

At least 25 deaths were attributed to violent storms that followed a coast-to-coast cold wave.

Although the South and many of the middle states are experiencing a warming trend, the northern corners of the nation had no relief.

With 8 inches of new snow today, portions of the Montana-North Dakota area were still digging out from the storms in an effort to save thousands of stranded cattle and sheep.

Hundreds of cattle suffocated as ice formed on their nostrils and mouths. North Dakota Gov. William Guy called a meeting with Civil Defense, National Guard and highway department officials to determine what can be done to help the snowed-in ranchers.

"I've never seen a storm like that one," said one North Dakota rancher. Some portions of the state were declared disaster areas.

Lightning, thunder, hail, snow and gusty winds struck sections of Montana as cold arctic air met with warmer Pacific air.

Lightning knocked the face from a clock in a Helena valley home.

Most of the state and federal highways were open to traffic but back roads were snowed in. Some officials said it would take weeks to open the country routes.

The Air Force planned to airlift five tons of hay to stranded cattle and sheep.

In the Northwest, mixed rain and snow caused hazardous driving conditions in Washington, where three persons died in traffic accidents. Two boys were killed in sledding mishaps near Seattle.

Heavy rains struck northern California and gale warnings were posted along its northern coast. Heavy snow was expected in the northern and central Sierras where travel warnings were issued.

More than an inches of rain fell on Los Angeles County, contributing to 10 traffic fatalities, authorities said.

Snow in New Mexico was blamed for one traffic death and a plane crash in which one man was seriously injured.

Interstate 40 in Oregon opened Sunday, freeing 200 stranded motorists who were caught Friday and Saturday.

In Indiana, three persons died on slick roads.

On the East Coast, central and southern New England were struck by four inches of snow as temperatures dropped to near zero in northern Maine.

In northern New York State, temperatures fell close to zero and fresh snow covered the area.

Four members of a California family were killed near Wheeling, W. Va., in a car-truck accident on slush-covered Route 40.

Other weather-attributed fatalities were reported in Pennsylvania, Colorado and Iowa.

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LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The Arkansas Supreme Court upheld the city of Pine Bluff today in its contract with H.L. Jones to provide benches with advertising along streets.

Jim Hood held a similar contract which expired in 1959. He continued to place bus benches in the city without a franchise.

Jones and Hood both made proposals to the city council, and Jones won the contract. Hood contested the award under the act under which the ordinance was passed giving Jones the contract.

Hood said the city failed to comply with Act 224 of 1959. The Supreme Court ruled that the act did not apply to the bus bench situation.



LEFT IN OKLAHOMA — Mrs. Ada Hopkins of Los Angeles, Calif., said she is "contented" to spend Christmas at Tulsa, Oklahoma Salvation Army center. Mrs. Hopkins was left in Tulsa by her son-in-law, daughter and seven children who were traveling to Texas from Arkansas. "I am not mad at them," she said.

Yule Program Is Given at Garland

On Thursday, December 17, the pupils of Garland School enjoyed a Christmas program which was presented in two separate sessions, first for the upper grades, and then for the primary children.

The first grades, Mrs. Eugene Jines and Mrs. Homer Reeves, teachers, sang a medley of Christmas songs with Mrs. Jines at the piano. Dennis Allen acted as announcer. The numbers included excerpts from "O, Come All Ye Faithful," "O, Christmas Tree," "Away in a Manger," "Silent Night," and "We Wish You A Merry Christmas."

Mrs. Jess Davis's fourth grade gave the Christmas story from Luke 2:8-16, as a choral reading. Miss Broach's sixth grade sang Christmas carols from around the world as follows: "In Bethlehem 'Neath Starlit Skies," "Once in Royal David's City," "Gentle Mary Laid Her Child," "Boat's Head Carol," "Fum, Fum, Fum," and "Christmas Song."

Janie Harrison was the announcer and Barbara Fuller directed the choir. The older children participated in singing of their familiar carols with Mrs. Jess Davis accompanying and Mrs. Linton Crank directing.

Arkansan Killed in Oklahoma

SPIRO, Okla. (AP)—A Booneville, Ark., mother and her two daughters were killed Sunday in a head-on collision four miles east of here on U. S. 271.

The Highway Patrol identified the victims as Mrs. Kathryn Arnett Dixon, 53, of Booneville and her two daughters — Linda, 13, and Susan, 11. Mrs. Dixon had moved to Booneville only two weeks ago.

The Dixons are believed to have moved to Booneville from Crossville, Tenn.

The occupants of the other car were not believed seriously injured.

All Around Town

By The Star Staff

Hope High School students collected 5,200 cans of food that will become a part of the Lions Club's baskets for the needy families at Christmas time and that's a lot of cans of food.

Friends of Frank Walters will be pleased to learn that he is recuperating nicely following surgery Friday. He is in the Springfield Memorial Hospital at Fayetteville, Ark.

First Lt. Charles Haynie, Jr. son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haynie, Sr. of Prescott, graduated from the U. S. Air Force Squadron School at the Air University at Maxwell AFB, Ala. on December 18.

Lt. Haynie was selected for the special professional training recognition of his demonstrated potential as a leader in the aerospace force.

The lieutenant's wife, Jeanne, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milburn J. Jones of Prescott.

Lt. Haynie attended Prescott High School and received a B.S. degree from Henderson State Teachers College in Arkadelphia.

According to City Police statistics there were 27 persons arrested for drunkenness in this city the past 30 days and seven were charged with driving while intoxicated.

Five were charged with carrying concealed weapons and one was charged with assault with intent to kill.

Two were charged with traffic violations. Two were jailed for shoplifting, four for disturbing the peace, 13 for license violations and eight for assault and battery and three for failing to answer a summons.

Mrs. Ada Talley Dies Early Today

Mrs. Ada Talley, a longtime resident of Hope, died Monday at her home.

She is survived by two sons, Jim Talley of Hope and Thomas B. Talley of Durant, Okla., and a sister, Mrs. Dale McGee of Malvern and a brother, Ernest Robertson of Siloam Springs, Ark.

Services will be held at 4 p. m. Tuesday at Herndon-Cornelius Chapel by the Rev. Robert Moore. Burial will be in Rose Hill Cemetery.

Suit Dropped by Court in Malvern Case

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The Arkansas Supreme Court reversed and dismissed a \$400,000 judgment against the Malvern Gravel Co. today because the company was not a common carrier.

Two employees, Arlie Mitchell and James Rogers, sued the firm after they were injured in a railway switching accident.

A Hot Spring Circuit Court jury gave each man \$200,000, and the Supreme Court overturned it because, wrote Associate Justice Sam Robinson, the principal issue was whether the gravel company was a common carrier.

Robinson said a similar suit by the men apparently had been settled by the Missouri-Pacific Railroad.

In another case, the Supreme Court ruled that a school director who does not own property at the time he is elected, still may buy property and be eligible to serve on the board.

Clay County Circuit Court had ruled that Stephen Jessup was disqualified as a member of the Knobel School Board because he bought property the day after he was elected to office.

The Supreme Court said that as long as a board member owns property at the time he takes office, he may serve.

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UN Needs \$60 Million to Keep Solvent

By WILLIAM N. OATIS
UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP) — U. N. officials figure that the United Nations needs only \$50 million or \$60 million in voluntary contributions to pull out of the insolvency caused by \$126 million in unpaid dues for peacekeeping operations.

But they are having trouble getting the Russians to help raise that much, even though the United States has cut \$9.4 million off the sum it insisted the Soviet Union should chip in.

Secretary-General U. Thant and Alex Quaison-Sackey, president of the General Assembly, are negotiating with the two big powers in hopes of settling the dispute over peacekeeping assessments and voting rights before the assembly's Christmas recess begins Wednesday.

Some diplomats believed the assembly could resume Jan. 11 without risking a Soviet-U.S. clash over the issue.

Article 19 of the U.N. Charter says any member two years behind in its assessments "shall have no vote" in the assembly. The Russians are more than two years behind because they refuse to pay assembly assessments for financing the Congo and Middle East peacekeeping forces. They contend that the Security Council alone is authorized to start and finance such forces. After Jan. 1 about 20 other countries will be two years delinquent, many of them for the same reasons.

The negotiations are aimed at setting up a voluntary fund as a face-saving device into which the Soviet Union and other members can pay so as to provide money to liquidate the peacekeeping deficit.

Dock Strike Threats Are Eased

GALVESTON, Tex. (AP) — Renewed threats of a dock strike from Maine to Texas eased but did not entirely abate today as contract talks continued and most longshoremen stayed on the job.

Nearly 100 members of the International Longshoremen's Association walked out in New York harbor Sunday night. An ILA official said it was a wildcat strike.

Negotiators for shippers and the Gulf and South Atlantic District of the ILA indicated they would keep on trying to work out a contract agreement here.

Longshoremen will continue working on a day-to-day basis, District President Ralph A. Massey said, while negotiations are in progress.

Massey said the union could order dock workers to leave their jobs at any time and there remained a strong possibility of a strike which would paralyze shipping on the Gulf Coast and the Eastern Seaboard.

ILA leaders and the New York Shippers Association agreed on a new contract last week. Their pact normally sets the pattern for other districts.

Negotiations broke down in Galveston temporarily Saturday, however, with the size of work gangs apparently a major stumbling block. Dock workers want a minimum 18-man gang. Another topic listed for discussion was payment of wage boosts retroactive to Oct. 1, when the West Gulf area contract expired.

Pentagon Claims Plan Favorable

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Pentagon now claims officials of nearly half the states — including Arkansas — favor or lean toward its Reserve-National Guard reorganization plan.

Officials listed 11 states which they said have publicly endorsed Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara's proposal. It would eliminate the organized Army Reserve, abolish 21 second line Guard and reserve positions and build the National Guard to 550,000.

States listed as definitely for the plan were Arkansas, California, Delaware, Indiana, Illinois, Louisiana, Maine, Massachusetts, Michigan, Rhode Island, and Texas.

In addition, officials said another 12 states had indicated to them that they were preparing to issue public statements in support. The officials declined to identify these states.

AP News Digest

International
Future of South Viet Nam's government is in doubt after the military purge. U.S. officials are displeased.
Egyptian government says the U.S. oil plane shot down near Alexandria ignored repeated orders to land.

Forty-one persons are killed in a train wreck in Mexico Sunday, including two Americans, are injured.

Government Politics
President Johnson is giving budget-cutting top priority as he settles down at the LBJ Ranch for the Christmas holidays.

President Johnson's cardiologist says he is in fine shape to weather the next four years.

Sen. Barry Goldwater takes a fresh look at the controversy over Republican National Chairman Dean Burch at a GOP conference in Washington.

National
Snow and freezing rains hit Northern areas of the nation as winter arrives officially. A cold wave continues to take its toll.

Northern college students join in rebuilding a Mississippi Negro church burned after a civil rights meeting.

A substitute Santa finds the old gentleman's department store lot is far from easy sledding.

ARKANSAS
Nine persons die accidental deaths in Arkansas over the weekend.

30 Climb Hill to Join the Goat Rocks

HOT SPRINGS, Ark. (AP) — Thirty persons trudged up North Mountain to Goat Rock over the weekend to gain membership in the Goat Rock Club. But the club mascot didn't go along on the climb.

The club, organized by Harry L. Oswald of Little Rock, general manager of the Arkansas Electric Co-operative Corp., now has a membership of about 60.

The mascot, a plaster goat, painted gold, with green eyes, had to be left behind because ice on the trail made it difficult to carry him. He weighs about 20 pounds.

A few climbers slipped on the ice, but no one was injured, and none turned back. All reached Goat Rock, atop the mountain, in freezing weather.

In order to join the club, one must make the five-mile climb with another member. Benefits of the club are pride in having made the climb and permission to stroke the mascot, which club members call a good luck charm.

The rock was named for a billy goat who lived there years ago and was often seen peering down on the city of Hot Springs. The goat is dead.

Winter Comes to State Officially

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Winter gave Arkansans the image of a gentler person today, as it pushed stormy fall out of the state.

The season officially came to the state in early afternoon, bringing with it predictions of weather considerably more pleasant than the freezing drizzle and weekend sleet it displaced.

The outlook is for partly cloudy and mild weather, through Tuesday with light rain ending tonight.

Overnight low readings of 35 to 45 degrees are forecast, with maximum temperatures both today and Tuesday in the 40s and 50s.

Maximum temperatures Sunday ranged from 43 degrees at Memphis to 54 degrees at Fayetteville. Overnight low readings ranged from 27 degrees at Fayetteville to 45 degrees at Texarkana.

\$2,000 Taken From Drug Store

MARKED TREE, Ark. (AP) — Burglars broke into John W. Frank Drug Store here some time between 7 p.m. Sunday and 7 a.m. today and took about \$2,000 in cash and checks from a safe.

Sheriff Ray Holmes said the burglars gained entry by cutting a hole in the skylight. The safe was opened with a hammer and chisels, he said.

State Policeman Kenneth Bean said he had helped local authorities investigate four similar burglaries in Northeast Arkansas in the past two weeks.

Viet Nam Purge Leaves Ruling Power in Doubt

By MALCOLM W. BROWNE
SAIGON, South Viet Nam (AP) — The future of South Viet Nam's government and the war against the Viet Cong have been thrown into doubt by a weekend political purge by young Vietnamese generals.

The "Young Turks" dissolved the High National Council and arrested most of its nine members, plus more than 20 other leading politicians.

U.S. military and diplomatic officers made no official statement on the crisis — the country's sixth government upheaval in less than 14 months — but American displeasure was evident.

"This power play did not seem called for," said one U.S. official, "and basically we have to regard these generals as rebels against the duly constituted government."

Premier Tran Van Huong and Chief of State Phan Khanh Sui were still nominally in power. In a broadcast proclamation, the junta of young generals declared confidence in and support for both men.

U.S. officials said the latest assertion of over-all authority by the military badly damaged the civilian government's position.

Brig. Gen. Nguyen Chanh Thi, commander of the 1st Army Corps, is the dominant member of the junta. He escaped to Cambodia in 1960 after failing in an attempt to overthrow the Ngo Dinh Diem government.

Since Dime's death he has risen rapidly in the Vietnamese army.

Acting with him in Sunday's pre-dawn, bloodless purge were Brig. Gen. Nguyen-Cao Ky, air force commander; Brig. Gen. Le Nguyen Khang, Marine Corps commander, and Brig. Gen. Tran

On Record at Hempstead Courthouse

Cases filed in Chancery and Civil Court: Walter Fo Madeley, Jr. vs Verna Lockwood Madeley. Patsy Jo Bailey vs Charles B. Bailey.

First National Bank of Ft. Smith, Ark. vs Ben J. Owen and Audrey N. Owen. Elizabeth Ann Hair Hawthorne vs J. W. Hawthorne. Loyce Evelyn Cato vs Willis Dale Cato.

American Plan Corp. vs Garland Neal and Sarah Neal. Jewell Butler vs Missouri Pacific R. Co.

Perry Henley, d-b-a Western Auto Associate Store vs Phillip Shears.

Marriages: Marshall Lee, Oak Grove, La. to Connie Jane Stone, Blevins, Ark.

Charles Pry, Prescott, to Polly Sue Graham, Emmet.

Richard Brandon, Hope to Louvenia Green, Hope.

Richard Turrentine, Hope to Gladys Walker, Hope.

Robert N. Goad, Dallas, Texas, to Louise Reichley, Dallas, Texas.

Henry Livingston, Hope to Alma Ross, Hope.

Lige White, Hope to Gertrude Monk, Hope.

Donald Black, Hope to Sharon Douglass, Hope.

More Honors for Caveness

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Ronnie Caveness, an Arkansas Razorback guard, was named to the Helms Athletic Foundation All-American football team Saturday.

Jerry Rhome of Tulsa topped the roster of selections from players named in national polls. Nebraska, which meets Arkansas Jan. 1 in the Cotton Bowl, also had one man named to the team—tackle Larry Kramer.

Bryant Will Be Taken Into Hall of Fame

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Alabama Coach Paul (Bear) Bryant is one of four top athletes from Arkansas who will be inducted Jan. 21 into the Arkansas Hall of Fame.

Bryant's football team went 10-0 this season and was ranked No. 1 in the nation in the Associated Press' college football poll.

Scheduled to be inducted with Bryant are Gordon Carpenter, Tom Murphy and J. L. Nick Carter.

Gordon is a former Razorback and was a standout for the Phillips 66 Oilers basketball team in the 1940s. Murphy was named to the All-Southwest Conference football and basketball teams while playing at the University of Arkansas. Carter was an outstanding quarterback for the great 1914 Ouachita College football team.

Schedule in SWC Short This Week

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS It's a very short schedule in Southwest Conference basketball this week for which the teams should be happy—four of the five games are interconference, something at which the league has been doing rather poorly this season.

Last week the teams proceeded to lose seven while winning five and this really was the best showing thus far.

Baylor lost a couple of games to remove the last unbeaten team in the conference and both

versity of Arkansas. Carter was and outstanding quarterback for the great 1914 Ouachita College football team.

Bryant was brought up at Fordyce and played high school football there. He calls himself "the other end" to Don Hutson, another Arkansas Hall of Fame member, on the unbeaten Alabama football team of 1934.

Bryant, who coached at Maryland, Kentucky and Texas A&M prior to returning to his alma mater, has a lifetime coaching record of 150-49-13.

He has coached teams to 10 bowl games and has a 6-3-1 record in bowl play.

Bryant served as an assistant coach at Alabama and Vanderbilt before going to Maryland as head coach after serving in the Navy during World War II.

Murphy was first recognized as a basketball standout in 1927 when he led the Batesville Pioneers into the finals of the national basketball tournament at Chicago.

He was voted the Southwest Conference's most valuable football player in 1933, when he played for the University of Arkansas team which had to forfeit the conference title because it used an ineligible player.

Murphy coached at Little Rock Catholic High School and later at Henderson State Teachers College in Arkadelphia before he was forced into retirement by ill health.

He is now a patient at the State Tuberculosis Sanatorium at Booneville.

Carpenter, who stood 6 - 6½ while at Arkansas, went to the university after he led his Ash Flat High School team to a state championship.

After leaving the University, Carpenter played six years for the Oilers and two for the Denver Chevrolets in the AAU league. He later became coach of the Denver team.

Carpenter is now a college basketball official and lives at Denver.

Carter quarterbacked the 1914 Ouachita team to an undefeated season with victories over Arkansas and Ole Miss before being tied 0-0 by Henderson.

He played high school football at Fordyce and went one year to the University of Arkansas. In that one year, as a freshman, he won a varsity letter.

Carter now makes his home at Arkadelphia.

More than 20 sports figures have been inducted into the Hall of Fame since it was begun in 1959.

Stafford to Head Arkansas Senate

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — On the opening day of the 1965 General Assembly—Jan. 11—State Sen. Fred H. Stafford of Marked Tree will be officially elected president pro tempore of the state Senate.

He was unofficially elected to the seat here Sunday, at a caucus held in conjunction with a reception and luncheon meeting honoring the outgoing president pro tem, Sen. Max Howell of Little Rock.

Stafford, a lawyer who is 68, is the oldest member of the senate.

The president pro tem presides over the senate when the lieutenant governor, the regular president, is absent. He also acts as governor if both the governor and the lieutenant governor becomes incapacitated, or both are out of state at the same time.

Lt. Gov. Nathan Gordon announced that Howell will be chairman of the Senate Efficiency Committee, and the senate caucus reappointed Lee Reaves as secretary of the senate.

Man Killed in Texarkana Shooting

TEXARKANA, Ark. (AP) — Ralph Calhoun, 30, of Genoa was shot and killed Saturday night after an argument at a Genoa residence, the Miller County Sheriff's Office said.

He was shot once in the neck with a .410 shotgun.

The sheriff's office held another Genoa man in connection with the shooting. Genoa is about 15 miles southeast of here.

of them were of the intersectional variety—97-78 to Vanderbilt and 82-64 to Florida State.

Texas A&M won two out of three and gained the best season record, replacing Baylor. The Aggies are 6-2 while Baylor is 5-2.

Arkansas did the most toward helping the interconference record when the revitalized Porkers beat Tulsa 65-64 and the Phillips Oilers 72-70.

Tulsa had beaten Southern Methodist the previous week by 19 points. Which may have furnished a good comparison of a couple of the conference teams.

Another comparison—this one direct—came when A&M licked Rice 69-60 in the Bluebonnet Classic at Houston.

Texas A&M had an erratic week although winning more than it lost. The Aggies first licked Houston 74-67 but lost 58-49 in a return engagement.

Texas Tech also continued to play erratically. The Red Raiders took an 85-79 licking from Oklahoma but whipped Nebraska 82-78.

But Tech's Dub Malaise continued his steady play. The all-conference Red Raider ran his scoring total to 150 points and has the best average in the league—25.0 per game.

Jean Beasley of Texas A&M has the most points—169—but has played in two more games.

Monday Texas Christian hosts Centenary while eTexas Tech gets Colorado in Lubbock and Texas plays Howard Payne at Austin.

Tuesday Rice engages Missouri at Houston and Wednesday Missouri plays Southern Methodist in Dallas.

That winds up action for the week as the teams take out for the Christmas holidays. They return next week when tournament time arrives. They'll be playing all over the South and in Oklahoma then.

Misfortunes Turned Into Blessings

By DOUGLAS BAILEY

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP) — Roger W. Irving says he has turned his misfortunes into blessings. There have been many misfortunes.

He lost his right arm at 17. He had to drop out of college when his family suffered financial reverses. His two sons died at birth. Cancer cost him his vocal cords at 55. He lost the sight of his right eye at 68.

But Irving, named "Handicapped American of the Year" Sunday by the President's Committee on Employment of the Handicapped, said: "I never had any idea of giving up. Every misfortune I've had, I've made a blessing of it."

Now he teaches people who have lost their vocal cords how to speak, working with the U.S. Veterans Administration Center, the University of Miami Medical School and the Florida Division of Vocational Rehabilitation.

"They make their first sound on the average of one month after surgery," Irving said. "Then you ought to see them."

"You understand, because of the magic we invest in words, speech makes us feel powerful," Irving said. "Suddenly deprived of this speech, the patient usually experiences apathy, isolation, becomes despondent, feels self-pity. But then they think, 'Well, my goodness, if you can do it, I can do it.'"

After vocal cords have been removed, an artificial "voice box" can be inserted surgically in the esophagus. Speech can be achieved by controlled breathing, which forces air through the device.

The technique is difficult to master. Irving has taught more than 100 persons.

Irving, a big, balding man of 72 who says "I'm strong as an ox," grew up in Birmingham, Ala. Although his right arm was crushed when a seven-ton printing press fell on it while he was working as an electrician, Irving won a city tennis tournament the next year.

After two years of studying for the ministry at Birmingham Southern College, he had to take a job as a salesman because of family financial troubles.

After his sons died, he took a job as a scoutmaster and spent 20 years in scouting service.

Irving supplemented his salesman's income by singing until he lost his vocal cords to cancer. After mastering esophageal speech, he did research, wrote articles and lectured to promote the technique.

"I go where I am needed," Irving said. "I feel this work is my ministry."

Abolishing Post Is Criticized

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The Little Rock chapter of the American Association of University Women adopted a resolution Saturday criticizing the Arkansas Legislative Council for voting to abolish the child welfare director's post of the Welfare Department.

The resolution said the council action was taken as a result of "a personal vendetta by Paul Van Dalsem against the director," Mrs. Ruth Johnston.

Van Dalsem, Perry County representative, criticized Mrs. Johnston during a council discussion of the Welfare Department budget. Council action placed the Child Welfare Division under the department's director of family services.

Weather

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peratures through Tuesday. Considerable fog most portions Tuesday. Low tonight mid to upper 30s. High Tuesday in the 50s.

Northwest and Northeast Arkansas—Considerable cloudiness through Tuesday. Turning cooler Tuesday. Low tonight 35 to 40. High Tuesday in 40s.

Southwest and Southeast Arkansas—Considerable cloudiness and mild through Tuesday. Fog and drizzle again late tonight and early Tuesday morning, mainly in south portion. Low tonight 40 to 45. High Tuesday 55 to 60.

Forecasts: ARKANSAS — Mostly cloudy through Tuesday, except cloudy with considerable fog southeast late tonight and early Tuesday. Not much temperature change except a little cooler north portion Tuesday. Low tonight around 30 north to low 40s south. High Tuesday 40s north to low 60s south.

LOUISIANA — Considerable night and early morning fog, otherwise partly cloudy and mild through Tuesday. Low tonight 48 to 53. High Tuesday in 60s.

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Viet Nam Purge

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of state's office were shipped off under guard to the mountains north of Saigon. All had been on the staff of the former chief of state, Lt. Gen. Duong Van Minh, and had been left at the disposal of his successor.

The military's rapid move caught leaders to the Buddhists' antigovernment campaign by surprise. Their weekend of hunger striking and demonstrating was cut short and Buddhist followers were told: "For the time being just pray and go home."

Pressure from the Buddhists appeared to have been lifted, at least temporarily. Several of the politicians under arrest had been targets of the Buddhists, but several persons who had been associated with Buddhist extremists also were arrested.

The generals promised "im-

partiality vis-a-vis every religious and political difference," and said they were "ready to act as a mediator between all differences in order to achieve national unity, annihilate the Communists and safeguard the nation."

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Nine Persons Lose Lives in Accidents

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Accidents took the lives of nine persons in Arkansas during the past weekend, including the tragic death of five youngsters in a house fire near Marked Tree.

Joint funeral services were held at Lepanto Sunday for the children who perished in the flames.

Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin D. Lafferty and three of seven surviving brothers and sisters attended the simple graveside rites. The victims were Raymond, 16; Dorrin, 9; Laird, 10; Darin, 8 and Stacey, 7.

The remaining deaths reported in the Associated Press count from 6 p.m. Friday until midnight Sunday came in highway accidents.

Two Cabot residents were killed early Saturday when their sports car slid out of control and hit the rear of a tractor trailer on U.S. 67-167 about a mile north of North Little Rock. They were Don M. Hinson, 20, and Jerry Magness, 16.

John Kindle, 21, of Little Rock died Sunday of injuries suffered Saturday night when he was struck by a car involved in a six-car pileup on icy Interstate 30 just south of Little Rock. Kindle and three others, two of whom were hospitalized, had left their cars and were standing by the highway when a car driven by Kenneth Brown, 19, of Benton slid into them. They had gotten out after their cars slid out of control.

Earl William Jr., 54, of Texarkana was killed at Texarkana Friday when his stalled car was struck by a freight train.

Courses to Be Given Exceptional

WASHINGTON (AP) — The National Science Foundation has announced a \$9,310 grant to the University of Arkansas to finance a six-week summer course for exceptionally bright high school students. The course on plant science will be open to 30 students.

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SOCIETY

Phone 7-4321 Between 8 A.M. and 4 P.M.

Calendar

Monday, December 21

Circle 2, of the W.M.S. of the First Baptist Church will meet Monday December 21 in the home of Mrs. Franklin Horton for luncheon at 1 p.m.

All members are urged to be present.

Circle 5, of the W.M.S. of the First Baptist Church will meet Monday, December 21 at 1:30 in the home of Mrs. Hillman Koen.

All members are urged to be present.

The Ann Wollerman Circle of The First Baptist Church will meet in the home of Mrs. M.S. Bates, 1510 S. Elm St. on Monday night, December 21, at 7:30 for their annual Christmas Party. The Lottie Moon Christmas Offering will be observed at this time. All members are urged to be present.

Monday, December 21

The Lilac Garden Club will have a Christmas luncheon Monday, December 21 at 12:30 p.m. in the Heritage House. Mrs. N. P. Nesbitt will have charge of the program. Each member is asked to bring a potted bulb or plant to be taken to patients in local rest homes.

Tuesday, December 22

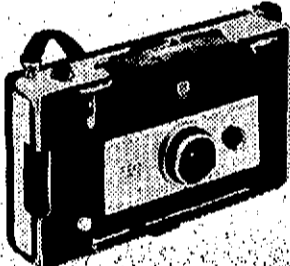
Mrs. R. L. Gosnell will have a Christmas Party for her pupils on Tuesday morning, at 10 in the Fellowship Hall of the Presbyterian Church, at which time they will play their recital pieces. All parents are invited.

The Rebecca Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church will have a party for class members and their husbands.

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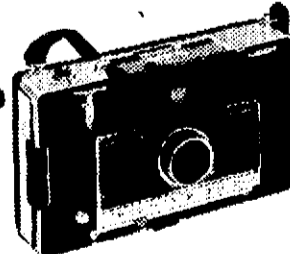
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shown a lovely picture, Mrs. Altom had made with paints and sequins. They all sang "Joy to the World," and Mrs. Snellgrove read Luke 2:8-14 for the devotion. The Lord's Prayer was repeated in unison.

Because of the nature of the meeting, the usual lesson was omitted. Mrs. E. O. Bright led the club in several games. Secret Pals were revealed, gifts were exchanged, and new Secret Pal names were drawn for the new year. Everyone got an additional gift around the Christmas tree, and Mrs. Altom won the door prize.

A tasty sandwich and salad plate was served with hot cocoa or coffee to 14 members and 2 children, Paula Kaye and Jerome Underwood, by Mrs. Altom and Mrs. Snellgrove. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Jeff Langston.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moers, Jr., of Hope are the parents of their first child, a daughter, born Saturday, December 19 at Wadley Hospital in Texarkana. The little girl weighed 5 pounds, 15 ounces, and has been named Jennifer Lee.

Coming and Going

Mrs. Leon Bundy had as dinner guest Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. William Bundy, Bill and Don of Hot Springs; Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Harrison of Prescott; and Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Bailey and W. D.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Long, Robert and John, Summitt, N. J., will arrive Tuesday for Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Graves and other members of the family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Williams and daughter, Terita, of San Diego, Mrs. Thomas L. Smith and son, Scott, of Columbus, Ga., are coming this week for Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barentine and family spent the weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Barentine where Mr. Barentine

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Mrs. Al Graves and new baby daughter, Allison, have returned to Hope from Little Rock, where the child was born.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Still were here during the weekend to see the Richard Keyton family, and little Miss Sarah Keyton returned to Arkadelphia with them for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Cox and Donna and Beverly, of Tuscaloosa, Ala., are visiting Mr. Cox's mother, Mrs. Georgia Cox and his aunt, Mrs. Monroe.

Hospital Notes

Memorial

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DISCHARGED: Mrs. Carolyn Davis, Hope; Mrs. Virgil Sanders, Hope; Dwanna O'Rourke, Hope; Mary Hubbard, Hope; Mrs. Richard Allen, Hope; Mrs. William Boyett, Hope; Spencer Plumley, Hope; Lindon Smith, Blevins.

ADMITTED: Willie Mae Russell, McNab; Mrs. W. M. Thompson, McNab

News Briefs

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (AP) — After 18 years together, the Mary Kaye Trio came to an amicable parting Friday. Following the group's four-week run in the show lounge of a Las Vegas hotel, Mary Kaye plans to continue as a soloist.

SANTA MONICA, Calif. (AP) — Actress Anna Kashfi, 26, former wife of Marlon Brando, was granted permission Friday to spend Christmas Day with their son Christian Devl, 6.

A superior court judge warned, however, that she must spend the time with the boy at the home of her attorney.

Her brother Norman said he will tend to his real estate business, while singer-comic Frank Ross plans to team with another comedian.

The trio is known for recordings of "My Funny Valentine" and "Lonesome Road."

Brando was granted custody of the child Dec. 7 after Miss Kashfi allegedly attempted suicide. A custody hearing is pending.

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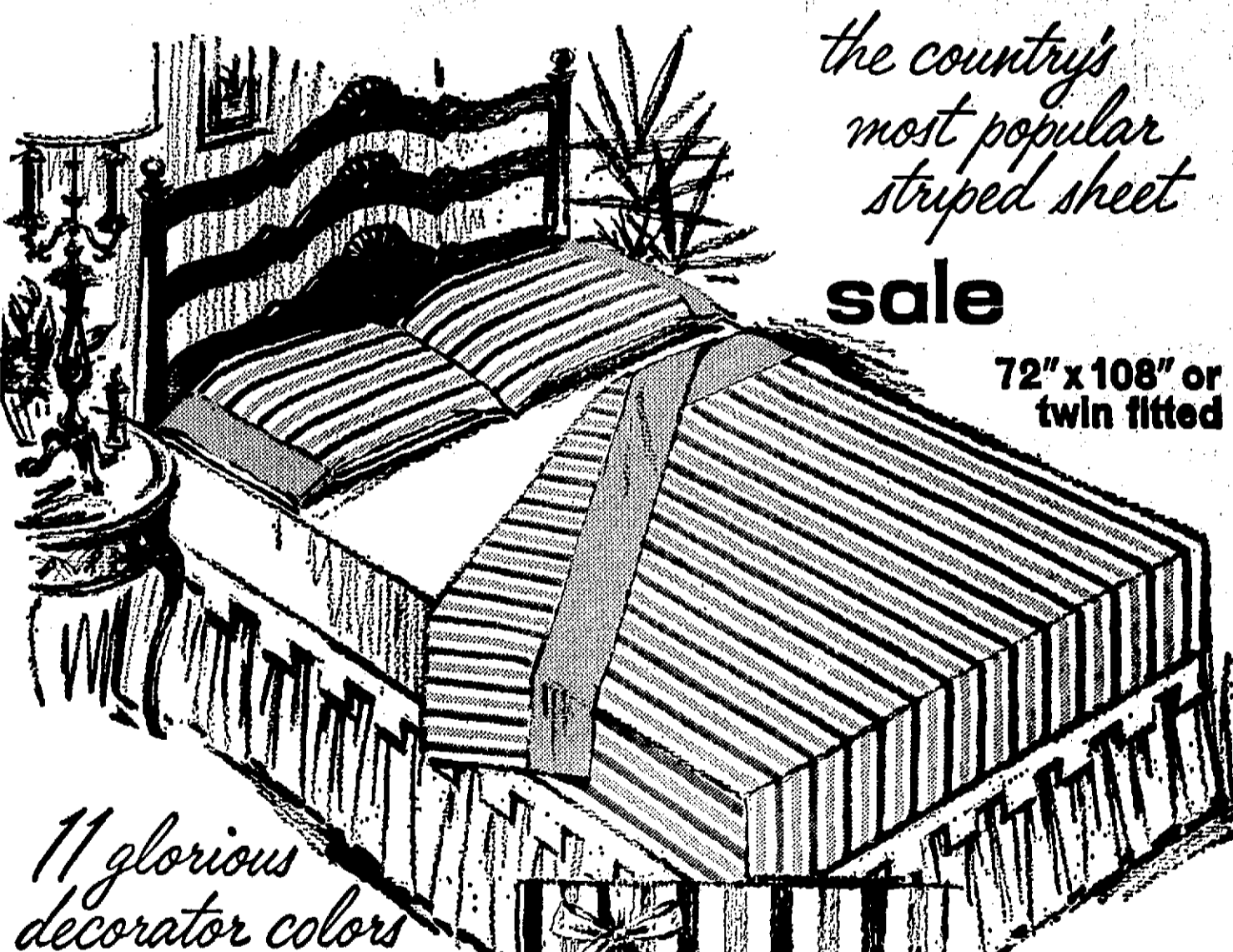
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41 to 50	.55	1.20	3.50	5.00	14.00
51 to 60	.45	1.00	3.00	4.50	12.00
61 to 70	.35	.80	2.50	4.00	10.00
71 to 80	.25	.60	2.00	3.50	8.00
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The Washington District was well represented at its District Board of Christian Education meeting held at BeBee Memorial C.T.E. Church, 412 North Hazel St., Friday and Saturday, Dec. 10 and 11th, respectively.

Our Presiding Elder, Rev. J. N. Harris, and Mrs. A. C. Kelley, District Director of Christian Education, Nashville, Arkansas, presided, with our Special guest, for the occasion, Rev. N. Charles Thomas, Supervisor of Christian Education, Memphis, Tenn.

Churches represented for the occasion were: New Light, Nashville, Ark.; BeBee Memorial, Hope; Church of Christ, C. M. E., Church, Ark.; Mt. Sinai, Hope; Circuit; St. Luke Chapel, St. Luke Community; Mt. Pleasant, South Hope Circuit; Williams Chapel, McNabb; Freeman Chapel, Ashdown; St. James, Nashville; Coulter Chapel, St. James Circuit.

Inspiring devotions were conducted by Rev. M. J. Jones, New Light Church, Nashville, Ark. Instructions given during the meetings were informative as well as inspirational. Committees were appointed and approved. Plans were made for 1965 with emphasis on improving the church and Youth Development. The next meeting will be held at New Light C.M.E. Church, Nashville, Ark. Rev. J. N. Harris, Presiding Elder. Rev. L. T. Turner, Host pastor.

SOLUNAR TABLES
WHEN TO FISH OR HUNT
John Alden Knight
Richard Alden Knight

The schedule of Solunar Periods, as printed below, has been taken from John Alden Knight's SOLUNAR TABLES. Plan your days so that you will be fishing in good territory or hunting in good cover during these times. If you wish to find the best sport that each day has to offer.

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Basketball
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EAST
St. John's 76, Notre Dame 72
Connecticut 70, Fordham 67
Villanova 70, Niagara 45
LaSalle 78, Penn 64
Army 81, Manhattan 62
Colo. State U. 86, St. Vona. 81
Pittsburgh 65, Bucknell 59
Duke 80, Seattle 74
Colgate 87, DePaul 61

SOUTH
Duke 104, Virginia 91
Davidson 87, Ohio State 64
Louisville 70, DePaul 69
Georgia Tech, Georgia Tech 66
Miami, Fla. 67, Florida 58
Tennessee 79, Buffalo 54
Kansas 63, Maryland 51 (ot)

MIDWEST
Wichita 71, Drake 60
Minnesota 88, Utah State 69
St. Louis 76, Bradley 73
Indiana 108, Detroit 69
Providence 71, Iowa 70
Purdue 86, Wake Forest 83
Tulsa 80, Memphis State 62
Creighton 82, Northwestern 70
Cincinnati 84, Centenary 74
Butler 90, Michigan State 89
Chgo. Loyola 73, N.D. State 57
Toledo 82, Citadel 78

SOUTHWEST

Signs Point to Buffalo in AFL Playoff

By BOB GREEN
Associated Press Sports Writer

The hard facts from the statistics sheets and a quick review of recent history would point to a Buffalo victory over San Diego next Saturday in the American Football League's title game.

But it's those pesky, unpredictable intangibles that have a way of turning things around and make it impossible to answer these questions until Saturday afternoon in Buffalo.

Will Buffalo's momentum, plus the lift of the Eastern Division - clinching 24-14 decision over Boston Sunday be enough to carry the Bills to their first title in the five-year history of the league?

Or will defending champion San Diego be able to shake off the disturbing effect of two straight losses, including a 21-20 upset at the hands of Oakland, and nail down a second straight title?

San Diego Coach Sid Gilman tends to discount the intangible and stick to hard facts.

"We played Buffalo two times and they beat us two times," he said after Sunday's unpleasant surprise by Oakland. "In the first game we didn't have any of our big guns and took a good beating. The second time we had them all, but we lost because we gave the game away."

"We'll try to contain Cookie Gilchrist the best we know how. If we don't, they'll beat us."

Buffalo won both regular-season meetings between the two contenders, 30-3 and 27-24. Buffalo has a 12-2 record, San Diego 8-5-1.

In addition to the key games involving Buffalo and San Diego, the other regular-season, finals saw Kansas City clip New York 24-7 and Houston beat Denver 34-15.

Jack Kemp was the prime mover for the Bills against the Patriots as a swirling snowstorm and Boston's line contained the rush of Gilchrist and Wray Carlton.

Kemp opened with a 57-yard scoring pass to Elbert Dubenion and sneaked across for the other two himself, after setting them up with passes.

Boston's lone chance to get back into the frosty game came in the first period when a Babe Parilli pass to Tony Romeo went 37 yards for a touchdown, but a two-point try for conversion failed. That made it 7-6 Buffalo, and the Bills had a 17-7 halftime margin on a Kemp sneak and Pete Gogolak's 12-yard field goal.

"This was the big one for us," Buffalo defensive back George Saines said. "We're over the hump now and we'll take San Diego. We had this mental block about not beating Boston."

Oakland's Clem Daniels sparked the Raider comeback, running for 120 yards in the final quarter against San Diego. He accounted for 57 in the winning drive, capped in the closing minutes on a 12-yard touchdown pass from Tom Flores to Billy Cannon and Mike Mercer's winning conversion kick.

George Blanda set season records for pass attempts, 505, and completions, 262, in the Oilers' victory. Chuck Hennigan caught eight for a season total of 101, a record.

Len Dawson passed for two touchdowns for the Chiefs, who evened their season record at 7-7. The Jets' Matt Snell ran for 103 yards, setting a rookie rushing mark of 945 for the season, but the Jets still lost their seventh straight on the road.

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Duke 104, Virginia 91
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Georgia Tech, Georgia Tech 66
Miami, Fla. 67, Florida 58
Tennessee 79, Buffalo 54
Kansas 63, Maryland 51 (ot)

MIDWEST
Wichita 71, Drake 60
Minnesota 88, Utah State 69
St. Louis 76, Bradley 73
Indiana 108, Detroit 69
Providence 71, Iowa 70
Purdue 86, Wake Forest 83
Tulsa 80, Memphis State 62
Creighton 82, Northwestern 70
Cincinnati 84, Centenary 74
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SOUTHWEST

Broyles and Men to Study Films

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark. (AP) — Arkansas football Coach Frank Broyles said Sunday he and his aides would spend a quiet holiday week studying films and discussing Razorback tactics for their Cotton Bowl game Jan. 1 with Nebraska.

Football won't be the only item of business for Broyles though.

He said the afternoons this week would probably be devoted to Christmas shopping.

"I know I haven't done mine yet," Broyles said.

The Razorbacks reassemble here Saturday for a Sunday flight to Houston, where they will have three days of intensive practices on the campus of Rice University.

Rhyme Hurls Tulsa Over Mississippi

HOUSTON, Tex. (AP) — Jerry Rhyme and an unexpectedly tough Tulsa defense exploded Mississippi's favored spot in the Bluebonnet Bowl.

But the 14-7 Tulsa victory led to some sharp criticism of the Ole Miss Rebels.

While the passing whiz wiped out Mississippi — which had been an 11-point favorite — Rebel Coach Johnny Vaught's post-game actions fired sports writers.

Vaught, a Texas Christian University graduate and long a favorite among Texas football fans, initially was upset by two late fourth-quarter rulings by the officials.

Then he apparently was irked at having lost the game, the eighth consecutive bowl game for the Rebels.

He kept a group of impatient sports writers waiting in 39-degree cold for a half-hour after the game they had to wait until all the players had filed out.

Texas Tech 82, Nebraska 78
Houston 70, Colorado 61
S. Methodist 80, Tulane 58
Arizona 86, Hayward St. 44

FAR WEST
San Francisco 95, Hawaii 72
Utah 99, California 74
Oregon State 61, Stanford 60
Washington 71, Kan. St. 62

TOURNAMENTS
Milwaukee Classic
UCLA 115, Boston Coll. 93
Marquette 62, Wisconsin 61

Kentucky Invitational
Championship
Illinois 91, Kentucky 86
Third Place
Dayton 71, W. Virginia 67

Vanderbilt Invitational
Championship
Vanderbilt 60, Oklahoma St. 58
Third Place
Florida St. 82, Baylor 64

Virginia Tech Invitational
Championship
Alabama 66, N. Carolina 61
Third Place
Virginia Tech 104, Miss. St. 75

Sun Devil Classic
Championship
Arizona St. 107, Murray 96
Third Place
Wash'n St. 67, Tex. Western 63

Evansville
Championship
Evansville 93, Louisiana St. 73
Third Place
Geo. Wash. 80, Denver 78

MORTY MEEKLE



Illinois Roms Off With the Tourney Title

By DICK COUCH
Associated Press Sports Writer

Adolph Rupp and his Kentucky Wildcats — true believers in Southern hospitality — are gracious hosts each December at the UK Invitational Basketball Tournament. There is only one house rule for visitors to Lexington — don't walk off with the silverware!

That may explain the Baron's displeasure today with his cousins from Illinois.

The once-beaten Illini romped off with the tourney title last Saturday night, topping Kentucky 91-86 in the final despite a closing rush by the eighth-ranked Wildcats. It was Illinois' first victory over Kentucky since 1943 and the first UKIT title for a Big Ten team since 1971. The host club had won seven of 11 previous tournaments.

Skip Thoren scored 27 points and Tal Brody 25 for the Illini, 6-1. They blew a 16-point margin late in the game before Brody and Bill McKewen hit six straight free throws to pull away from an 83-82 edge.

The tournament drew 23,300 fans, a record for the two-night, four-team event. Dayton beat West Virginia 71-67 for third place.

Three other tourney-stagers kept the home crowds happy. Ninth-ranked Vanderbilt edged Oklahoma State 60-58 in the Commodores' Tournament final at Nashville; Arizona State outran Murray, Ky., 107-96 to capture the Sun Devil Classic at Tempe, Ariz., and Evansville's giant-killers whipped Louisiana State 93-73 for the Evansville Holiday Crown.

Larry Humes hit for 45 points as Evansville, the nation's No. 1 small-college club, completed a season-opening five-game sweep of major opponents and won its tourney for the sixth time in nine years. The Aces beat Iowa, Northwestern and Notre Dame before knocking off George Washington and LSU in the tournament.

UCLA's defending major college champions belted Boston College 115-93 and Alabama surprised North Carolina 66-61 in the finals of the Milwaukee and Virginia Tech Invitational, respectively.

A run of 18 straight points at the end of the first half spraked the Bruins to their fifth successive victory after an opening loss at Illinois. Gail Goodrich topped UCLA with 35 points, one more than BC's John Austin,

who sat out 10 minutes of the second half with an injured wrist.

Elsewhere, No. 1 ranked Wichita and No. 10 St. Louis won Missouri Valley Conference games while Minnesota, Indiana, Utah, Providence and Connecticut remained unbeaten.

Dave Stallworth's 25 points led the Wheatshockers' past Drake 71-60 and Randy Albrecht's two free throws with three seconds remaining wrapped up the Billikens' 79-73 decision over previously unbeaten Bradley.

Minnesota, 5-0, routed Utah State 88-69. Indiana buried Detroit 108-89; Utah beat California 99-74 and Providence nipped Iowa 71-70. The Hoosiers, Utes and Friars have won six straight. The Uconnis, whose 7-0 mark tops the list of 11 major unbeaten, got past Fordham 70-67.

Sixth-ranked Duke ran over Virginia 149-1 and St. John's, N.Y., No. 7, outscored Notre Dame 76-72.

In his Monday column, Houston Post Sports Editor Mickey Herskowitz described the Bluebonnet Bowl a perfect one except for Ole Miss manners.

"(At Mississippi) football is played for blood and money, and they don't let you forget it," Herskowitz wrote.

"Ole Miss came to Houston aware that it had just two obligations to the Bluebonnet Bowl. To have 11 bodies on the field at 2:30 Saturday and to send someone around after the game to the cashier's window to pick up their check."

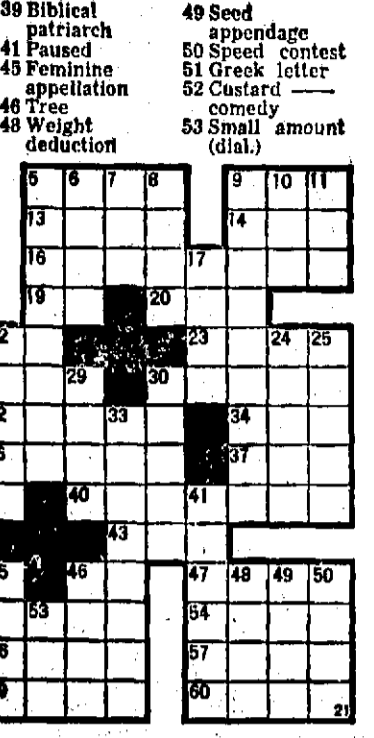
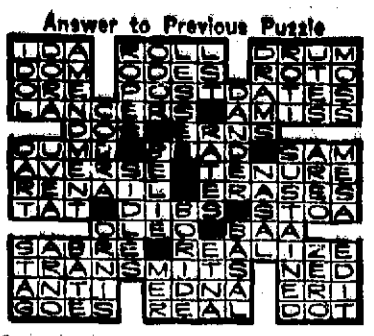
Mississippi had given Tulsa's national pass champion Rhyme a rough time in the early stages — he was thrown for losses eight times — but he scored the tying touchdown in the second quarter and won the game with a 35-yard pass to Eddie Fletcher in the third period.

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THE PUZZLE

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 - 16 Super film
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 - 18 Roosevelt initials
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 - 21 Australian bird
 - 22 Displaced
 - 23 Daisy
 - 30 Not too much (music)
 - 31 Expert
 - 32 Seed coat
 - 34 Charged atom
 - 35 Ovum
 - 36 German city
 - 37 Candelot tree
 - 38 Kings (Latin)
 - 40 Everlasting
 - 42 Arabian gulf
 - 43 Grain
 - 44 Fabulous bird
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By Dick Turner

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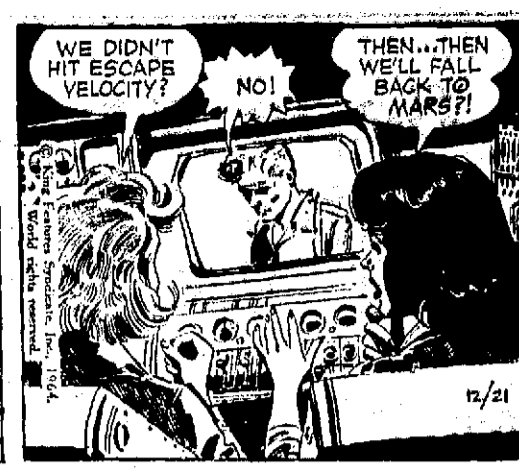
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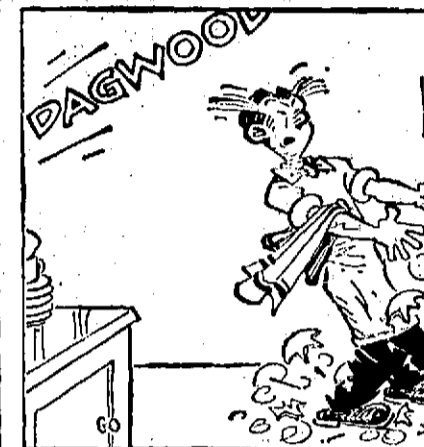
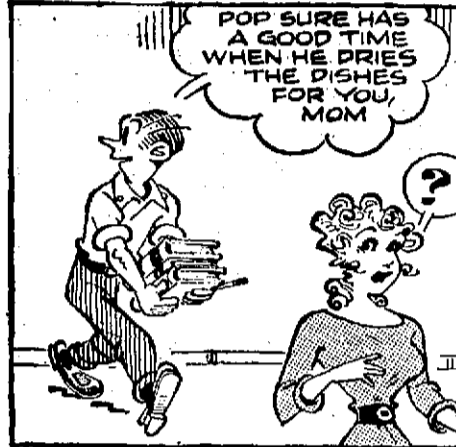
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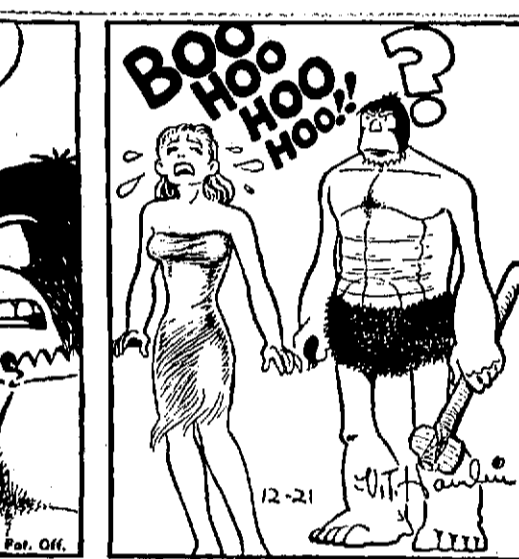


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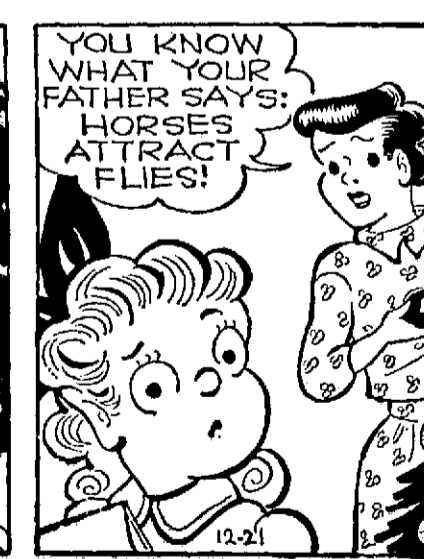
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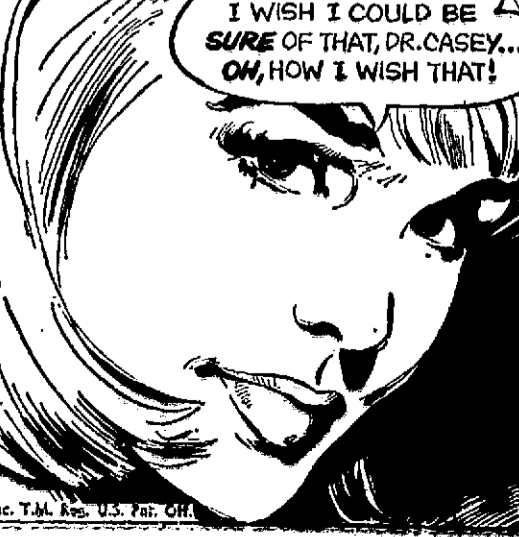
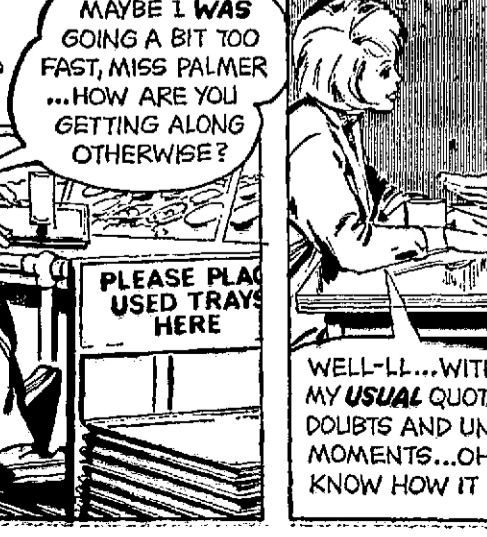
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PRISCILLA'S POP



By Al Vermeer

BEN CASEY



By Neal Adams

Hope Star SPORTS

Bobcats Win Tournament, Just Barely

By CARTER HARDAGE
Hope Star SportsWriter

Buddy Jordan's fall-away jump shot with three seconds to go, pulled Hope out of the fire and gave them a 51-50 win over Ouachita in the finals of the Hope Tournament Saturday night.

Ouachita came on strong in the final seconds of the first half to take a 27-25 lead. From then on nobody could pull together any semblance of a lead, and command swayed back and forth.

With 3:56 left in the game, the score was still 47-46, Hope. The pressure was on and both teams tightened up on defense. No one sacked until just under two minutes remained, when Mike Dingley hit a set shot from way out to give the lead back to the Warriors 48-47.

Jerry Burnett brought the ball down the court and drove in for a shot, but was fouled by Bill Gray. He went to the charity line with a 1-1 shot, and came away with the Cats leading 49-48.

With less than a minute to go, the Warriors brought it down. The crowd had long since been on its feet, tensely awaiting the final test.

Fisher's shot bounced off, but Dingley was there to grab the rebound and calmly plant it in the basket. Forty seconds, Ouachita in command, 50-49.

The pressure was mounting. Then Fisher stole the ball as the Cats tried to bring it back down. Ingram and Burnett went after him, cornered him, and forced a wild throw.

Buddy Jordan streaked back across the center line, but he was called for charging when he and two Ouachita players ended up on the floor. Bodies were strewn across the court. It looked like a scene from the Untouchables.

So, with twenty seconds to go, the Warriors brought the ball down. They stalled. Leading, 50-49, they were going to wait for the final seconds to shoot.

The strong Bobcat defense went after them. Burnett finally fouled Gray. That stopped the clock with ten seconds showing.

He went to the line with a 1-1 shot. It was a key play. With the pressure bearing down, he bounced the ball several times. Finally, eyeing the goal, he shot. It dropped short, missing the

Football

American Football League
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
FINAL STANDINGS

Eastern Division				
	W	L	T	Pct. Pts. OP
Buffalo	12	2	0	.857 400 242
Boston	10	3	1	.769 365 297
New York	5	8	1	.385 278 315
Houston	4	10	0	.286 310 355

Western Division				
	W	L	T	Pct. Pts. OP
San Diego	8	5	1	.615 341 370
Kansas City	7	7	0	.500 396 306
Oakland	5	7	2	.417 303 350
Denver	2	11	1	.154 240 438

Sunday's Results				
Buffalo 24, Boston 14				
Houston 34, Denver 15				
Kansas City 24, New York 7				
Oakland 21, San Diego 20				

Next Saturday's Game
San Diego at Buffalo

goal completely. Hope gained possession and quickly called a time out.

After consulting with Coach Billy Mitchell, they came back ready to go to work.

Bringing it in on the side, the Cats came down the court. Burnett then flipped the ball to Jordan, waiting in the corner. He went up, fired, and the ball game was over.

Ouachita made an attempt to score in the remaining two seconds, but couldn't get the ball down.

This win for the Bobcats makes their pre-conference record 9-0. That's what I told them that I wanted, stated Coach Mitchell, and that's what I got.

Buddy Jordan led the scoring with 19 points. Jerry Burnett had 14, and Mike Archer, Ronnie Ingram, and Stan Parris had 6 apiece. Fisher led the losers with 21.

The Bobcats won't see action again until next year. Their conference schedule opens January 8 at Fairview.

A scoring duel between Phyllis Landes of Lewisville and Dulane Pintado of Glenwood was the highlight of the action in the girls' finals.

Pintado just had a little more help, though, and Glenwood took the match 64-52. This put the Tigers record out to 15-0. Not what you would call sloppy.

Pintado led all scoring with 46 points. Landes wasn't far behind. She had 45.

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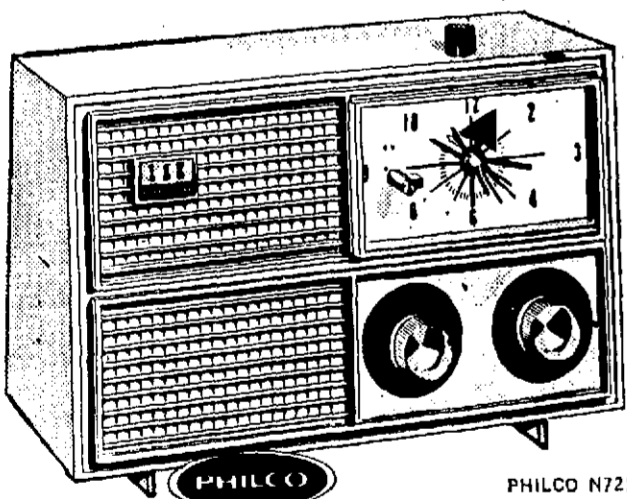
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By Abigail Van Buren

Dear Abby: My daughter's mother-in-law invited my daughter and her family for Christmas dinner, which is no big deal because she has a fine big home with plenty of help in the house and she don't have to stand in the kitchen and prepare it herself. Well, she told my daughter to "bring her mother." I don't care for second-hand invitations. I have a telephone and it wouldn't have hurt this woman to pick up a phone and invite me herself. Just because I'm a poor widow and haven't a big splendid home to invite her back to is no reason for her to treat me like dirt. What do you think of a person who is this cruel and stuck up?

A POOR WIDOW
Dear Widow: I think you are looking for a reason to be "mad" at your daughter's mother-in-law. Be grateful that she asked your daughter to bring you. The woman may be guilty of thoughtlessness, but don't label her as cruel and stuck up?

Dear Abby: I am a 12-year-old girl and I have a problem. A girl friend of mine can attract boys very easily. She smokes, swears and wiggles. Her personality isn't too good and she isn't so pretty. I don't smoke, swear, or wiggle. I have a pleasing personality and I'm fairly pretty. How can I attract a boy without really trying?

Unsuccessful Boy-Seeker
Dear Boy-Seeker: I don't recommend smoking, swearing or wiggling (at any age). You could work on developing your personality, but if you should happen to "attract" a boy at age 12, what on earth would you do with him?

Dear Abby: How does one tell a dear friend, who is also a handsome, well-groomed refined gentleman that the next time he goes to his barber he should ask the barber to remove a unsightly blackhead on his right cheek, near his nose? It detracts from his otherwise clean-looking appearance.

SAN CARLOS
Dear San: I would never suggest that a barber remove ANYTHING from the face of a client. What appears to be a "blackhead" could be a mole, growth, discolored wart, or a number of other things which neither I nor a barber is qualified to diagnose. If the man is a "dear friend," tell him to see a dermatologist for a professional opinion.

Confidential To "Four Eyes"
In Studio City, California: Men have been known to make passes at girls who wear glasses, depending upon their frames.

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For Abby's booklet, "How To Have A Lovely Wedding," send 50 cents to Abby, Box 69700, Los Angeles, Calif.
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Progress in Lowering 40 Hour Week

By NEIL GILBRIDE

WASHINGTON (AP) — Organized labor, so far unsuccessful in persuading Congress to cut the 40-hour work week, is quietly winning the battle for shorter hours at the bargaining table.

Contracts covering eight million workers — 15 per cent of all wage and salary employees — provide for less than 40 hours, the AFL-CIO reports.

What's more, said an article in the labor organization's publication, "with rare exceptions, the shorter work week was

Now Is Time to Save by Spending

By SAM DAWSON
AP Business News Analyst

NEW YORK (AP) — A lot of people can save money by spending more right now. The money will be saved in taxes. The money spent must be for the right things, in the right way: charitable contributions, doctor bills, interest due, state and local tax bills due.

If you're in love, you could save tax money by getting married before New Year's Day. If you're moving to a new job in another town and the costs are up to you, you might save by transferring now rather than waiting to celebrate the New Year with your present neighbors.

Or you might save in the long run by the money you don't take in right now — by delaying to mail bills, or to dun people for interest due, or to cash in those paper profits to get money for the holidays. You might save by admitting you picked some sour ones this year in the stock market and selling the stock and taking your loss — now, not sometime next year.

These possibilities arise because the federal income tax rates, which were cut on 1964 incomes, go down another notch in 1965. In 1963 the tax brackets ran from 20 per cent to 91 per cent. This year you pay from 16 to 77 per cent depending on how much income is subject to tax. The drop next year isn't that steep, but it's still something to consider. The 1965 rates will range from 14 to 70 per cent — and Congress could always get still more generous.

So you'll pay less on the same amount of income next year. Therefore, any deduction this year will mean more money left over after taxes. And any income that can legally be put over till next year will be subject to a smaller bite from the

achieved without resort to strikes.

While not so dramatic as the proposed blanket cut by federal law, the contract-by-contract progress in reducing hours adds up to some surprising totals. For instance, the article said, "among office employees, one-third are on schedules shorter than 40 hours." In the printing trades, 98 per cent of all workers are on standard work weeks under 40 hours. So are 97 per cent of the ladies' garment workers and 65 per cent of brewery workers.

"Unions are winning shorter work weeks in construction, manufacturing, retail and wholesale trade, finance, insurance and real estate, the service industries and in state and local governments," it said.

The report was based largely on Labor Department figures. Some contracts go even lower than 35 hours. New York electricians, who have had a 25-hour week since 1962, are the classic example.

Rather than slashing several hours from the work week in one chop, the typical contract nicks off a few minutes at a time, like this one between the Chemical Workers and Burroughs, Welcome & Co. in Tuckahoe, N.Y.:

"Each workday is reduced, effective at once, by ten minutes. A year hence, another ten-minute reduction becomes effective and, in 1966, a third ten-minute segment is cut off, reducing the present 40-hour week to 37½ hours by July 1, 1966."

While noting considerable success at the bargaining table, the AFL-CIO is not giving up its attempt to write a 35-hour week into the Fair Labor Standards Act, which covers some 29 million Americans.

If anything, the labor organization will step up its efforts in the new Congress in January.



Be at-home for the holidays in rich tones of cotton velveteen. A mosaic print in shades of green, blue and purple lends the pants suit (left) the glow of stained glass. Designed for luxurious leisure wear by Jan Feldman, slender pants are topped by a cutaway jacket with mandarin collar. At Designers U.S.A. the look for holiday entertaining is long. Ankle-length dress (right) in ruby velveteen wears its own necklace—a subtle sparkle of jet balls and fringe.



BICYCLE BUILT FOR FIVE—Five beauties create a novel display of motion at an exhibit of the International Cycle and Motorcycle Show in London. The girls helped demonstrate the Dunlop Quint, a bicycle built for five, which was made at the turn of the century and used for racing. On a flat run, a quint can reach speeds up to 50 miles an hour.



NET GAIN—The new look for spring includes this "Kookie" outfit, a fancy pants suit. Its Beverly Hills, Calif., designer combines solid knit with open-net crocheted leggings.

World News

WORLD NEWS

GENEVA (AP) — The International Red Cross Committee said today the two top leaders of the Congolese rebellion declared they knew nothing of the Geneva Red Cross Convention and did not consider themselves bound by it.

Christophe Gbenye and Gaston Soumialot made the statements to Red Cross Delegate Dr. Jena-Maurice Rubly, a Swiss, who landed at Stanleyville Sept. 25 in a white-painted Red Cross plane, a committee report said.

It added: Dr. Rubly's effort to get Gbenye to release white hostages failed. The rebels said the removal of hostages from Albertville was followed by a government bombardment of the city. They feared the same in Stanleyville.

Vatican radio said Friday it had information that 320 Roman Catholic and Protestant missionaries were in rebel hands near Stanleyville 10 days ago.

"Hopes of saving them are very thin," the broadcast said.

PANMUNJOM, Korea (AP) — The United Nations Command rejected today a Communist charge that one of its aircraft violated North Korean air space.

U.S. Rear Adm. Paul P. Blackburn Jr. said the U.N. Command investigated the alleged incident and found the charges were groundless.

The Communists had claimed that an "RB50 type" aircraft of the U.N. Command had flown over the demilitarized zone escorted by two F86 jets last Dec. 4.

MOSCOW (AP) — A Soviet delegation headed by Deputy Premier Alexander Shelepin left her for Cairo today.

The team of deputies from the Supreme Soviet, Russia's parliament, will visit the United Arab Republic at the invitation of its national assembly.

Shelepin, 46, a former head of the secret police, is the youngest member of the Soviet Communist party's Presidium.

TOKYO (AP) — The Indonesian Communist party has told Moscow it will not attend the Soviet-proposed preparatory conference for world Communist meeting March 1.

Guardsmen Can't Get Out of Duty

WASHINGTON (AP) — A National Guardsman serving his six-year military obligation cannot get out of drilling as long as a Guard unit exists in his vicinity and there is a military requirement for his service.

The Army gave that answer today to a question arising out of the newly announced Pentagon reorganization of the Army Reserve.

Men serving in the Reserve units being abandoned, it was disclosed Thursday, can avoid the weekly drills if they choose not to transfer to National Guard.

A spokesman said that if a man has enlisted in the Army National Guard and later the unit was disbanded he still would have to complete his military service obligation. That

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means he could be called into active duty in event of an emergency.

However, the spokesman said, if the local unit were disbanded, the man then would be transferred to the Ready Reserve mobilization reinforcement pool. In that pool, he would not be required to attend periodic drill sessions. He could attend a two-week summer camp training course, but this would not be compulsory.

That is substantially the same status being given Reservists whose units are disbanded and who prefer not to transfer to the National Guard.

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U.S. Has Finger in Peanut Butter

WASHINGTON (AP) — Uncle Sam is sticking his finger into peanut butter and asking peanut butter lovers how they like their product.

The Food and Drug Administration doesn't particularly care, but it does want to know by Jan. 22 whether you like smoother varieties, the old stick to the mouth kind, or what have you.

Originally peanut butter was just ground up peanuts and salt. Then some makers began adding vegetable oil, one even used one-fourth cottonseed oil, the FDA said.

The agency now is proposing

President Has Delayed Requests

WASHINGTON (AP) — The White House said today President Johnson has yet to see of consider 1965 fund requests for the antipoverty and foreign aid programs.

Press secretary George E. Reedy said this when asked about reports published by the New York Times that a \$2 billion antipoverty request is under consideration and that a \$3.5 billion aid program is being drafted.

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Grain Farmers May Face New Troubles

By SAM DAWSON

AP Business News Analyst

NEW YORK (AP) — American grain farmers may be facing new troubles abroad as well as the aftermath of a severe drought at home.

The six nations of the European Common Market have reached a peace pact after long battles over grain prices in their lands. For Americans the end result may be that the French will grow more grain to get the higher prices agreed upon. This could cut into the \$400 million-a-year market the United States has enjoyed in the Common Market countries.

They also will have a common tariff against grain imports that can further hamper American shipments which otherwise would have lower price tags than those that European farmers are guaranteed.

The weather that has plagued some American farm areas is reported to have been much kinder to both Soviet and Red Chinese grain growers. Their harvests are reported large, and perhaps even sufficient for home demands. The big market in these Communist lands that the United States and Canada shared this year may disappear in 1965. This would further contract the world outlets for American surplus grain.

For American business in general there is further evidence in the Common Market grain pact that a new era of isolationism may be building up abroad.

The British have slapped a 15 per cent surcharge on most of its imports as part of its battle to protect the pound sterling.

Americans selling their products in Britain are hit by the import tariff and also by British domestic tax increases aimed at cutting down consumer and business spending, especially for foreign goods.

All Americans have some stake in all of these international trade jugglings. This is because the United States also has a balance of payments deficit that has to be managed carefully to avoid weakening the standing of the dollar.

The deficit comes from more dollars being sent abroad for a long list of goods and services and investments and foreign aid than are returned in payment



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Unification of Germany to Be Aired

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

AP Special Correspondent

WASHINGTON (AP) — Foreign ministers of the United States, Britain, France and West Germany meet here next month to try to work out a new

for America's products.

The best way to keep this deficit within bounds is to increase the size of American exports. This is a prime goal of U.S. government policy.

Everything that cuts into our exports, or shrinks our markets, makes the deficit that much larger and harder to handle. And that effects the dollar's reputation, domestic interest rates, the protection of U. S. gold reserves.

Any loss of American farm markets abroad will hurt by just that much. Any loss of markets by higher tariffs, permanent or temporary, hurts by just that much. That is America's stake in the recent decisions by Great Britain and by the Common Market six — France, West Germany, Italy, the Netherlands, Belgium and Luxembourg.

approach to Russia on the unification of Germany.

The meeting was announced by Secretary of State Dean Rusk at the White House Thursday night after he and Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara had reported to President Johnson on this week's talks among Allied foreign and defense ministers in Paris.

Administration officials are reported to be hopeful the discussions will lead to an easing of differences between France and other North Atlantic Treaty Organization allies.

Rusk had two conferences with French President Charles de Gaulle about which he reported to Johnson. McNamara conferred with French Defense Minister Pierre Messmer. Messmer and he agreed on a coordination of French nuclear weapons targeting with NATO plans.

The McNamara-Messmer understanding is the basis for hope that relations with France may be improved. The accord indi-

cates a possible new trend in French policy, which has been marked in recent years by declining French cooperation with NATO.

Rusk said of the meeting on German reunification that the four foreign ministers had agreed in Paris they should explore the possibilities of "some further initiative" with the Russians on the issue.

At the same time, he said there has been no indication of an active Soviet interest in trying to settle the problems of the division of Germany.

Presumably the West German government of Chancellor Ludwig Erhard, which faces elections next year, is urgently concerned with a new diplomatic move on an issue of paramount importance in West Germany.

One of the principal topics in the Paris discussions was the problem of organizing a nuclear weapons force among as many Allied countries as are willing to participate. The NATO minis-

ters agreed to continue "exchanging views" on this problem, which has sharply divided the alliance.

Officials said it was tentatively agreed among some of the interested countries to hold high level talks, probably among deputy foreign ministers, on the nuclear weapons issue in Europe early next year. That will allow time for continuing direct talks between Britain and West Germany.

The West German government has strongly supported a U.S. proposal for a surface fleet armed with polaris missiles. The British government recently advanced proposals for a broad reorganization of NATO to allow both for the mixed-manned surface fleet and for national units to which Britain would contribute most of its V-bomber nuclear force.

A chimpanzee is almost as helpless as a human being when it is born.

Reservists Can Escape Drills a Year

By FRED S. HOFFMAN

WASHINGTON (AP) — There are 181,600 Army enlisted reservists who, if they wish, can escape regular drills throughout the year under the new plan to merge Reserve units into the National Guard, it was learned today.

These are men who have served from 4 to 10 months on active duty under a special program and have a remaining reserve training obligation of up to 6 years, minus the time they spent on active duty.

Such an out will not be available in the future to young men who sign up in this "reserve enlisted program" as an alternative to being drafted for two

years of active service.

The practice has been for them to enlist in either a Reserve or Guard unit, take their 4 to 10 months of basic training, then return to civilian life where they have been obligated to drill weekly and to go to summer training camp for two weeks each year.

The new program announced by Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara last weekend gives such enlisted reservists a way of avoiding weekly drills, although some of them would be liable for the yearly two weeks' summer training.

This is because defense officials have decreed that the National Guard, being expanded to a strength of 550,000 with the addition of about 150,000 reservists, shall be an all-volunteer force.

They have said that if a man does not want to accept service in a Guard unit, he could be transferred to a reserve manpower pool.

This pool now totals more

than 453,000 officers and men who still have reserve obligations but do not drill and are assigned to units. In effect, they are names on a list, subject to mobilization in an emergency.

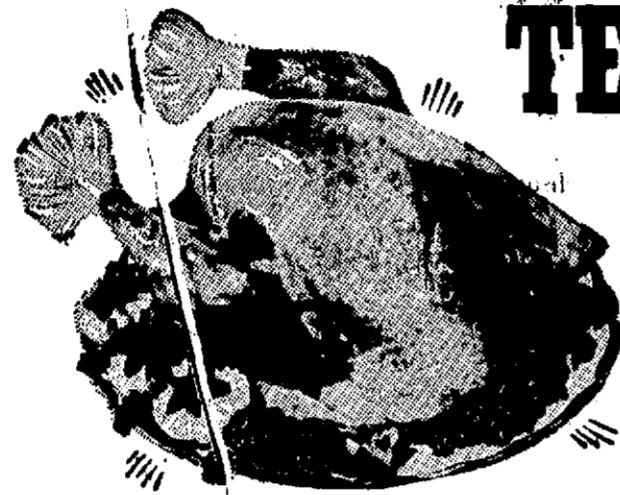
Asked for a formal explanation of the way men in this Army Reserve enlisted group will be affected, the Defense Department said:

"Under the new program they will be offered an opportunity, wherever possible to join a National Guard unit.

"If this is not possible, or if they do not choose to join a Guard unit, they will be assigned to the ready reserve mobilization reinforcement pool.

"Men in the pool will continue to have an obligation for annual military training or mobilization until their respective six-year obligation has been completed."

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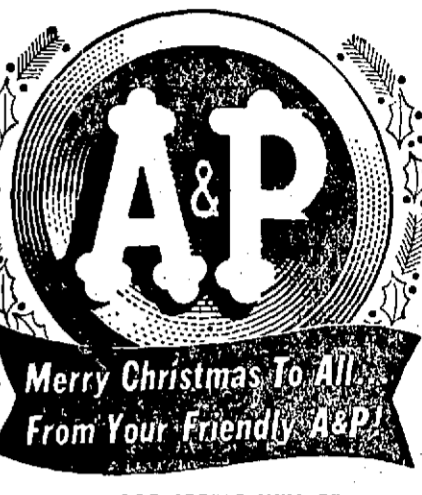
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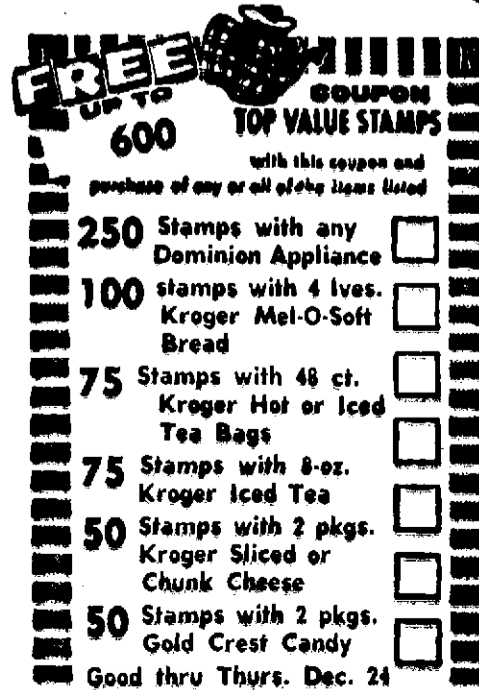
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Bulge Battle Recalled by Belgian Mayor

EDITOR'S NOTE — It was just before the last Christmas of World War II. The Allies were on their way to victory in Europe. Then the Germans revived to fight the Battle of the Bulge. The way it went in Bastogne is told in this story written for The Associated Press by the man who at the time was burgomaster—mayor — of the Belgian town.

By LEON JACOMIN

BASTOGNE, Belgium (AP) — In that December 20 years ago, snow had been falling thick on this capital of the rugged Ardennes Forest area, covering the gray stone and blue slate of the town. The snow coated the black pines on the hills and high

plateaus nearby.

Terrified women, children and cattle were sheltering in cellars or stables across Bastogne and on surrounding farms.

Then tracer bullets and exploding shells replaced the Bethlehem star in Bastogne's sky. Seventy-two thousand U.S. soldiers were to spill their blood in these tragic Christmas days, marking Bastogne's name in golden letters — beside Stalingrad, Alamein and Caen — in the history of German defeat.

GIs had liberated us the previous September. We were preparing to celebrate our first Christmas in peace with them when, on Dec. 17, a rumor spread across town that the Germans had launched a counteroffensive near Clearvaux, a Luxembourg town 17 miles away.

Our first reaction was disbelief. How could Germans rout this powerful U.S. Army,

equipped with the most modern materiel?

But anxiety grew with the hours, as guns grew louder.

It was Sunday and we went to church for an evening benediction celebrating the return of the clocks, removed by the Germans. Before the ceremony could start, U.S. military authorities decreed a curfew and power was cut.

That was the first of many candlelit evenings.

On Monday, Dec. 18, countless tanks, trucks and half-tracks rumbled across the town on their way to the nearing battlefront. First Luxembourg refugees appeared, coming from Will and Clervaux, announcing SS troops had just recaptured the latter town.

The first shells fell at 4 p.m. Reinforcements of the 101st Airborne Division took positions in the town during the night.

We were shelled three times next day. A shell hit the town

Bob Thomas at the Movies

By BOB THOMAS

AP Movie-Television Writer
HOLLYWOOD (AP) — "Money buys happiness," George Segal says with refreshing candor as he surveys the most important year of his life.

After years of listening to deadly serious actors proclaim "money isn't everything," I was delighted to hear Segal confirm what most of us common folks believe.

"Of course money makes a difference," said the actor, who spent years in off-Broadway plays at \$45 a week. "Now my wife and I can afford a girl to watch the baby. We can go out every night of the week if we want to — and sometimes we do."

"And when we're in New York, it's not a matter of whether we can afford to go to Sardi's, but whether we want to go."

George Segal is a happy actor, and no wonder. His 30th year has brought him the kind of success an actor's dreams are made of. He has appeared in "Invitation to a Gunfight" and "The New Interns." He joined the international cast of "Ship of Fools" and is now finishing the title role in "King Rat" as the only American amid a flock of Britishers.

How did it all happen? "I'm not sure," said George. "I guess I had to wait for certain things to happen."

What happened was a series of events, any one of which might have broken the chain if it hadn't occurred. If George hadn't had an old-style, hard-sell agent, who led to his knees to plead for a role for his boy in "Invitation to a Gunfight" —

...If George hadn't been at a party where he met Robert Cohn, producer of "The New Interns" — If "Ship of Fools" producer-director Stanley Kramer hadn't also produced "Invitation to a Gunfight" etc., etc.

Anyway, it did happen, and George Segal is being hailed as the new dramatic star for 1965.

About George: he is reddish-haired, blue-eyed with a medium build and medium good looks. He is an amiable fellow in

Hall's front wall. U.S. 105mm howitzers reacted.

Belgian police crisscrossed the town, asking the population to take shelter in cellars. The noise of the battle came louder and louder. Germans were at Noville, six miles from here, then at Neffe, a little more than two miles away.

The next day, Dec. 20, Germans attacked in force in Neffe, Mont and Blizy. They could not advance, but in Foy, three miles from here, the Americans had to retreat.

Thursday, Dec. 21 we were completely encircled. The battle was raging, as close to 4,000 people of Bastogne started a week-long siege in cold and dark cellars.

Above our heads, shells exploded as houses crumbled. The 101st was fighting but ammunition was getting scarce. Officers spared supplies as skies refused to clear, forbidding any air drop or even support.

I had organized a group of volunteers to distribute food. A makeshift bakery and butcher shop had been set up at the seminary. People could leave shelters two hours a day to collect food. The last 750 pounds of war-relief biscuits were distributed as U.S. soldiers fired their last cartridges.

Day broke with a great hope on Dec. 22. Haze was dissolving, skies were clearing. At 9:30 a.m. a muffled sound was heard. It grew and a cloud of bombers flew over the town. Hundreds of multicolor parachutes opened, shining as they dropped 140 tons of food, ammunition and drugs. The whole population rushed out of shelters to admire the show.

GIs and civilians were shouting, crying, kissing each other, laughing. Wild enthusiasm had seized the besieged soldiers and civilians who forgot their tragic situation, as if Santa Claus was coming down to rescue them.

On that memorable Friday, Gen. Anthony C. McAuliffe gave his historic "Nuts" reply to the Germans when they asked for the town's unconditional surrender under threat of razing it.

Aerials were terrible. The fighting renewed, twice more violent, and on Christmas Eve, the Luftwaffe came to bomb the town. The whole district from the girls' college to the Rue de la Halle was afire.

As feeble Christmas carols rose in the desperate night, bombs destroyed the Red Cross building, killing 27 U.S. soldiers and a Belgian nurse.

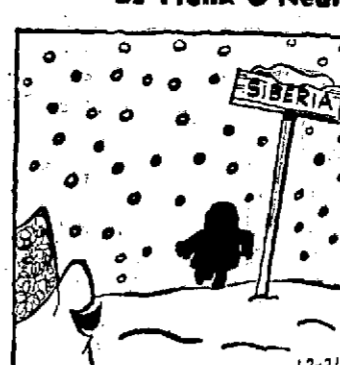
Gen. George S. Patton arrived Dec. 28, breaking the siege. But German air raids resumed Dec. 29-30, destroying more than a hundred houses as most of the population fled the burning town.

A thousand people remained as shells continued to fall until Jan. 15. Only 150 of the 1,200 houses were undamaged. But, thanks to discipline and courage, Bastogne lost only 13 citizens.

SHORT RIBS



By Frank O'Neal



LBJ Methods May Be Used by Others

By JAMES MARLOW

Associated Press News Analyst
WASHINGTON (AP) — Lyndon B. Johnson's years in the presidency may have a profound effect on how that office is handled for years to come.

He is different from any man who has held the office in this century. He is a political manager who reached the top.

As President he has to assert leadership, often perhaps in a cold way, but his training and his career have been that of a manager, which does a lot to explain his performance so far.

As Democratic majority Senate leader from 1955 until 1961 he had a chamber full of men who, as always to a large degree, were temperamental and egotistical, with their own prejudices and special political interests.

He knew them all well because he pays astonishing attention to detail. As a result he knew what had to be done, or left undone, to get a piece of legislation through. His job, as he saw it, was to get results. He got them.

He didn't do it by browbeating, if he could help it, for his policy was to avoid conflict if he could. He knew an enemy he made today on a particular bill might come back tomorrow to haunt him.

What he did most of the time was to appeal, soothe and compromise. This meant he often had to settle for less than all he wanted. But he kept the wheels turning so well and smoothly he has been called the best Senate leader in this century.

His whole performance is based on tireless dedication to the job. He works at it long hours daily. It would be extraordinary if his personality and his methods changed now. They are not likely to, as he revealed to newsmen this week.

He let it be known he will work for results while trying to avoid heady conflicts, here or abroad.

His dream boat may capsize, due to circumstances he can't control, and in the end he may find himself a sorely embattled president, like many before him.

If he is highly successful the presidents coming after him probably would be inclined to use some of his methods, thus making the job less individualistic and more managerial.

If his methods fail, his successors will ignore Johnson's tactics and go on trying to adapt themselves to the presidency in their own way, which is what Johnson's most recent predecessors have done. A glance back shows how.

President Kennedy brought to the White House a great gift which Johnson perhaps never can match: Grace and charm and an intellectual interest and aliveness long lacking in the presidency.

But in handling Congress he was an amateur compared with Johnson. He never learned how to manage Congress well enough to get his major programs through, like a tax cut and civil rights. Johnson got them through in his first seven months.

Historians may decide President Eisenhower's greatest contribution to the job was that of calming influence. Through public confidence in him and his own placidity, he steered the country back to sanity from the neurotic divisions over McCarthyism and suspicions about Communism.

But his Secretary of State, John Foster Dulles, was his foreign policy guide and if it hadn't been for Johnson's mastery and good will in a Democratic-run Congress, Eisenhower's achievements through Congress probably would have looked sick.

President Truman had a honeymoon with Congress for only a few months after taking office. Thereafter it was unceasing conflict, particularly with the Republicans. They never conversation, but before the camera he comes on strong.

Great Society But How and Just When

By JAMES MARLOW

Associated Press News Analyst
WASHINGTON (AP) — President Johnson dined it into American heads that he wants to build the "Great Society" but he never said exactly how and he never quite said when.

He still hasn't given details but this week, after he called in a group of reporters to let them interview him provided they didn't quote him. It was clear he thinks the Great Society will be many long years in the making.

Since last April he had dwelt on the Great Society theme repeatedly, although not recently, pledging his administration to build it. He mentioned three places to start: in the "cities... countryside... and classrooms."

One of his foundation stones, to be offered the new Congress in January, will be medical care for the aged — a plan tied to Social Security. Others will be road-building programs and funds for health facilities in mining areas.

This is a modest enough beginning for a man who did so well in the November election which also gave his Democrats overwhelming control of Congress. He has been extraordinarily un-noisy for a victorious politician.

But the explanation is that he doesn't want to waste any of the good will and influence he won through pressure tactics or unnecessary conflicts. In short, he seems bent on following a very moderate road.

He wants to avoid the pit President Franklin D. Roosevelt fell into when, after his tremendous election triumph in 1936, he damaged his effectiveness badly, particularly in Congress, by his fight in 1937 over reshaping the Supreme Court.

There's another side to that story. The court in Roosevelt's first term wrecked one New Deal program after another. But after Roosevelt began his fight the court — through resignations, new appointments and no doubt great self-consciousness — swung around to Roosevelt's side.

Johnson, despite his caution, may stumble into the same pit of unpopularity but in the opposite way if he is faced with an issue that badly needs fighting but tries to avoid it.

More than any president in this century — with the exception of Dwight D. Eisenhower who in eight years never really said anything to make people mad at him — Johnson for some time should have the least trouble with Congress.

He knows the congressional mind, having been part of it himself so long, and accomplished a great deal as a Senate Democratic leader by the technique he seems bent on following now: the soft approach and compromise.

Compromise, of course, means an absence of sensational victories.

After watching Johnson for years it is this writer's belief his philosophy of achievement is based on making progress through an accumulation of limited advances instead of on a few sensational triumphs.

In this way he can hope — although both the liberal and conservative sides may be angry when each doesn't think it got enough or one thinks the other got too much — neither will have ground for enough irritation to be an enemy.

gave him the cooperation Johnson gave Eisenhower.

But Truman was a tremendous, aggressive leader, particularly in foreign affairs. It is no wonder historians rate him among the top presidents. It remains to be seen whether, in this vital role of leadership, Johnson can approach him.

Managing, without inspiring leadership, may not be enough, and probably won't be. Presidents Franklin D. Roosevelt and Wilson were truly leaders but in dealing with Congress they were often poor managers, Wilson disastrously so.

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JADE FOR A LADY

BY M. E. CHABER

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The name is Milo March. I'm an insurance investigator. For \$100 a day and expenses. Some people think this ought to make me rich. Maybe it would if I worked every day in the year. But there are long dry spells when all I do is sit around in my office and wait.

The phone rang. I picked up the receiver and said hello.

"Mr. March," a strange voice said, "this is Robert Carlin, manager of the Claims Bureau of the Personal & Inland Marine Insurance Association."

"Yes?" I said. It didn't mean much to me. I'd heard of the Association, but that was all.

"Your name was suggested to me by Martin Raymond of Intercontinental Insurance," he said. "Intercontinental is one of our member companies. I wonder if you might come down and talk to me?"

"I guess it could be managed," I said casually. "What do you have in mind?"

"I'd rather talk about it when we meet. Can you make it today? For lunch?"

"I don't see why not."

"Twelve?"

"I'll be there," I said.

"Good," he said, and hung up. I replaced the receiver and opened the phone book. I looked up the Association. They were way downtown on John Street. I picked up the phone and dialed the number of Intercontinental. When it answered, I asked for Martin Raymond. I repeated the quest and added my name when his secretary answered.

"Milo," he said, coming on.

"How's the boy?"

"Still a boy," I said. "If you're careless with a few years. I just had a call from Robert Carlin. What's the bit?"

"I don't know," he said. "Carlin is head of Claims for the Association. We had lunch the other day, and he mentioned that they were hiring an outside man for a special job. I suggested you. That's the whole script."

"What kind of a man is Carlin?" I asked.

"Top drawer. He's a former FBI man and has been with the Association about 15 years. We are a member, but we've never asked them to do an investigation for us. I'm told that they do a good job when they're called in."

"Well, thanks for the plug, I think."

It's a funny thing. I've traveled all over the world on jobs, but when I'm in New York any thing that isn't Greenwich Village, where I live, or Madison Avenue in the mid-Forties, where my office is, seems like a major safari. In fact I'd never been to John Street.

It turned out to be a narrow, busy street. The taxi deposited me in front of number 60 and I went in. A glance at the board in the lobby showed me that the building was full of insurance companies. I went up to Personal & Inland Marine and was shown into Carlin's office.

He was a wiry little man, probably about 50. His office, in size and furniture, was pretty much what I was accustomed to seeing in insurance companies—but he wasn't. He wore a dark shirt and tie and a rumpled suit, which made him look more like an artist than either a vice-president or a former Federal agent.


"Let's go to lunch," he said, as soon as we had shaken hands. We went downstairs and walked a couple of blocks to Whyte's. It's a restaurant so old, it's practically a tradition downtown. We got a table upstairs and ordered a couple of drinks.

"Are you free to take a job?" Carlin asked, when we had our drinks.

"I guess so," I said. "Dep-

SWEETIE PIE

By Nadine Seltzer



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SIDE GLANCES

By Gil Fox



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"It refused to work last evening, just when I was about to curl up with a good monster show!"

Problems Face Population in California

By ROB WOOD





MARTIAN PREVIEW—These are two of the best existing photos of Mars, according to Eastman Kodak. They were taken through a 200-inch lens, the top one through a blue filter, the other through a red one. Scientists hope the spacecraft Mariner IV, now speeding toward Mars, will televise back to earth much more revealing photos of the red planet.

Farm Vote Is Favorable to Cotton Quota

By J. C. TILLMAN

Associated Press Writer

Farmers in 66 of Arkansas' 75 counties voted heavily Tuesday in favor of continued federal production and marketing controls on cotton.

The controls were approved by a wide margin in St. Francis County in Eastern Arkansas, where farmers are complaining that the relationship between the government and the farmer in the program has broken down.

St. Francis County, scene of a federal investigation of cotton overplanting, favored the controls by a margin of 395 to 13.

Phillips County, where federal investigators showed up Tuesday to begin a similar check, had only five farmers against the controls and 455 for them.

In only 25 counties were more than 100 votes recorded.

The county-by-county total released today by the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service ranged from 1-0 in Montgomery, Polk, Baxter and Searcy counties to Mississippi County's vote of 600-3.

In no county were the controls disapproved.

Approval of quotas was required by at least two thirds of those voting.

The state's total vote was 3,834 for the controls to 340 against.

Here is a breakdown of the vote in the larger production areas, by county, vote for and vote against:

Arkansas 169-5; Ashley 146-1, Chicot 165-3, Clay 408-38, Crittenden 464-3, Cross 256-3, Craighead 453-18, Desha 259-4, Drew 215-2, Faulkner 166-8, Greene 373-73, Jackson 302-9, Jefferson 271-3, Lawrence 376-12, Lee 412-3, Lincoln 166-2, Lonoke 519-24, Mississippi 660-3, Monroe 238-9, Phillips 455-5, Poinsett 452-4, Prairie 152-12, Randolph 198-13, St. Francis 395-13, White 557-14 and Woodruff 195-11.

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Gelatin Salads	Lucerne ... 15-Oz. Ctn.	29c
Cranberries	Ocean Spray ... 1-Lb. Pkg.	49c
Juicy Oranges	Florida ... 8 Bag	79c


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